

As an avid broadcast radio listener and active amateur radio operator, I am concerned that BPL communication may have a negative and interfering effect on my ability to serve my community and my country, and on my ability to receive broadcast radio communications.

Unless the potential for serious interference to the amateur and other radio services is addressed, BPL should not proceed in its current form.

In times of national and local emergencies, amateur radio operators have always been ready, willing, and able to answer the call to duty. If BPL is permitted in its current form, not only may listeners' ability to receive broadcast communications be threatened, but the ability of the amateur community to serve may be jeopardized as well.